



Justine Heffron

After my husband and I raised seven children, I went back to college, starting with Indian Hills Community College in Centerville. I received my degree from William Penn University in 1991 in Secondary Education as an English major. I use that degree as a substitute teacher in Junior High and High School in Centerville. I have also long been a community and political activist. I was proud to be part of the group that helped earn the designation of "A Great Place", awarded to Appanoose County in 2007. In 2009, when the city of Centerville didn't include the opening of the municipal pool in its budget, I co-chaired the efforts of raising approximately \$20,000 to open the pool. Other recent activities include: the development of the community rec center to be included in the YMCA, and currently promoting the rescue of the railroad spur so important to manufacturing in Centerville. Southern Iowa is the place for me!